GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
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Training Facilities to Technicians
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Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government impart or proposes to impart any training to the technicians working in the area of solar power in the country;
(b) if so, the details thereof;
(c) the details of the funds distributed/utilized for this purpose to various States including Chhattisgarh during each of the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise; and
(d) the details of the training programmes started in various States including Chhattisgarh during the said period, State/UT-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR POWER, COAL, NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND MINES (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a): Yes, Madam
(b): The Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) is supporting short term training of one week to six months duration for technicians and engineers for their skill development in system design, installation, commissioning, operation, maintenance and repair of solar power projects. Suryamitra Training Programme aims to train 50,000 ITI students as technicians for employment in solar power projects. The trainings are conducted by research/educational institutions, NGOs, solar companies having adequate training facilities. These training involve both theory and practical classes.
(c): The details of the funds distributed/utilized on the training programmes in various states including Chhattisgarh during each of the last three years and the current year are given at Annexure A.
(d): The details are given at Annexure B.
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